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Please advise the status of the above-identified patent application. A Notice of Allowability was mailed September 25, 2003. Also in September 2003, Applicants were advised by Examiner Joseph L. Williams that the above-identified patent application was in License and Review awaiting a final review before issuance of the Notice of Allowance. On December 2, 2003, Examiner Williams further confirmed that the application still remains in License and Review. Applicants are currently awaiting a Notice of Allowance.

If there are any matters that can be resolved through a telephone conference, please contact the undersigned attorney for Applicants at the telephone number listed below.

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